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IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: CODI42596

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DEAR TREASURERS

YOUR COMMITTEE HAS FAILED TO FILE THE ABOVE-REFERENCED REPORT IN AN ELECTRONIC FORMAT. IN ACCORDANCE WITH 11 C.F.R. 104.18(A)(1), YOU ARE REQUIRED TO FILE THIS REPORT, AND ALL SUBSEQUENT REPORTS FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR, ELECTRONICALLY. 11 C.F.R. 104.18(A)(2) FURTHER STATES THAT REPORTS FILED ON PAPER DO NOT SATISFY A POLITICAL COMMITTEE'S FILING OBLIGATION. YOUR REPORTING OBLIGATION WILL NOT BE SATISFIED UNTIL YOU FILE THE ABOVE-REFERENCED REPORT IN AN ELECTRONIC FORMAT.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER, PLEASE CONTACT LEAH S. PALMER IN THE REPORTS ANALYSIS DIVISION ON OUR TOLL FREE NUMBER (800) 424-9530. UUR LOCAL NUMBER IS (202) 694-1130.

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